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Application Number	10/606,137
Filing Date	June 25, 2003
First Named Inventor	DAVID Vincent ZyZAK
Title	Method for Reducing Acrylamide
Art Unit	1761
Examiner Name	K. D. Hendricks
Attorney Docket Number	9043 MXL

I hereby revoke all previous powers of attorney given in the above-identified application.

I hereby appoint:

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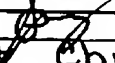
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I am the:

☐ Applicant/Inventor.

☒ Assignee of record of the entire interest. See 37 CFR 3.71.  
Statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) is enclosed. (Form PTO/SB/96)
**SIGNATURE of Applicant or Assignee of Record**

Signature		Date	Aug. 12, 2005
Name	S. Robert Chvey	Telephone	513-634-0622
Title and Company	SR. Counsel, Procter + Gamble		

NOTE: Signatures of all the inventors or assignees of record of the entire interest or their representative(s) are required. Submit multiple forms if more than one signature is required, see below.

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This collection of information is required by 37 CFR 1.31, 1.32 and 1.33. The information is required to obtain or retain a benefit by the public which is to file (and by the USPTO to process) an application. Confidentiality is governed by 35 U.S.C. 122 and 37 CFR 1.11 and 1.14. This collection is estimated to take 3 minutes to complete, including gathering, preparing, and submitting the completed application form to the USPTO. Time will vary depending upon the individual case. Any comments on the amount of time you require to complete this form and/or suggestions for reducing this burden, should be sent to the Chief Information Officer, U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, U.S. Department of Commerce, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450. DO NOT SEND FEES OR COMPLETED FORMS TO THIS ADDRESS. SEND TO: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

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As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that:

My residence, mailing address and citizenship are as stated below next to my name.

I believe I am the original and first inventor or inventors of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled METHOD FOR REDUCING ACRYLAMIDE IN FOODS, FOODS HAVING REDUCED LEVELS OF ACRYLAMIDE AND ARTICLE OF COMMERCE the specification of which is attached hereto.

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above.

I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to patentability as defined in 37 C.F.R. §1.56, including for continuation-in-part applications, material information which became available between the filing date of the prior application and the national or PCT international filing date of the continuation-in-part application.

I hereby claim foreign priority benefits under 35 U.S.C. §119(a)-(d) or §365(b) of any foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate, or §365(a) of any PCT International application which designated at least one country other than the United States of America, listed below and have also identified below any foreign application for patent or inventor's certificate, or of any PCT international application having a filing date before that of the application on which priority is claimed:

I hereby claim the benefit under Title 35, United States Code §119(e) of any United States provisional application(s) listed below.

60/412,307	09/20/2002	60/421,432	10/25/2002
Application Serial No.	Filing Date	Application Serial No.	Filing Date
60/431,147	12/05/2002		
Application Serial No.	Filing Date		

I hereby claim the benefit under 35 U.S.C. §120 of any United States application(s), or §365(c) of any PCT International application designating the United States of America, listed below:

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As named inventor, I hereby appoint the registered practitioners associated with customer number 27752 to prosecute this application and transact all business in the Patent and Trademark Office connected therewith.

SEND CORRESPONDENCE TO: Customer Number 27752

I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under 18 U.S.C. 1001 and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issued thereon.

Full name of sole or first inventor David Vincent Zyzak

Inventor's signature [Signature] Date July 24, 2003

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Citizenship U.S.

Mailing Address 7775 Hunters Trail; Mason, OH 45040

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Inventor's signature [Signature] Date 7/31/03

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Inventor's signature [Signature]

July 28/03  
Date

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Citizenship Canadian

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Inventor's signature [Signature]

7/30/03  
Date

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Citizenship U.S.

Mailing Address 6241 Rogers Park Place; Cincinnati, OH 45213

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Inventor's signature [Signature]

7/29/03  
Date

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Full name of sixth inventor, if any Maria Dolores Martinez-Serna Villagran

Inventor's signature [Signature]

10/6/03  
Date

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Citizenship Mexican

Mailing Address 5300 Sunset Ridge; Mason, OH 45040

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Date

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Full name of eighth inventor, if any Richard Gerald Schafermeyer

Inventor's signature [Signature]

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27752

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Name	Registration Number

as attorney(s) or agent(s) to represent the undersigned before the United States Patent and Trademark Office (USPTO) in connection with any and all patent applications assigned only to the undersigned according to the USPTO assignment records or assignment documents attached to this form in accordance with 37 CFR 3.73(b).


Assignee Name and Address:

The Procter & Gamble Company  
One Procter & Gamble Plaza  
Cincinnati, OH 45202

A copy of this form, together with a statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) (Form PTO/SB/96 or equivalent) is required to be filed in each application in which this form is used. The statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) may be completed by one of the practitioners appointed in this form if the appointed practitioner is authorized to act on behalf of the assignee, and must identify the application in which this Power of Attorney is to be filed.

### SIGNATURE of Assignee of Record

The individual whose signature and title is supplied below is authorized to act on behalf of the assignee

Name	Steven W. Miller	Date	6/30/04
Signature		Telephone	513-634-6332
Title	Assistant Secretary		

This collection of information is required by 37 CFR 1.31 and 1.33. The information is required to obtain or retain a benefit by the public which is to file (and by the USPTO to process) an application. Confidentiality is governed by 35 U.S.C. 122 and 37 CFR 1.14. This collection is estimated to take 3 minutes to complete, on the amount of time you require to complete this form and/or suggestions for reducing this burden, should be sent to the Chief Information Officer, U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, U.S. Department of Commerce, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450. DO NOT SEND FEES OR COMPLETED FORMS TO THIS ADDRESS. SEND TO: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

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## GLOBAL GENERAL ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS I/we, the undersigned inventor(s) herewith declare that I am the sole inventor/we are the joint inventors and I/we have made a certain invention as set forth in a patent application (including industrial designs and utility models) entitled **METHOD FOR REDUCING ACRYLAMIDE IN FOODS, FOODS HAVING REDUCED LEVELS OF ACRYLAMIDE AND ARTICLE OF COMMERCE**, Attorney's Docket No. 9043MX1 and filed in the United States Patent Office as Number 10/606,137 on 06-25-2003 (the hereinafter named assignee being authorized to insert said Number and filing date when ascertained):

David Vincent Zyzak of 7775 Hunters Trail; Mason, OH 45040;  
Robert Alan Sanders of 915 Maple Ridge Court; Fairfield, OH 45014;  
Marko (NMN) Stojanovic of 9518 Croton Drive; Cincinnati, OH 45242;  
David Cammiade Gruber of 6241 Rogers Park Place; Cincinnati, OH 45213;  
Peter Yau Tak Lin of 6753 Netherland Drive; Liberty Township, OH 45044;  
Maria Dolores Martinez-Serna Villagran of 5300 Sunset Ridge; Mason, OH 45040;  
John Keeney Howle of 5958 Olive Branch Road; Oregonia, OH 45054;  
Richard Gerald Schafermeyer of 691 Buff Court; Cincinnati, OH 45231;

I/We made said invention set forth in said patent application while employed by, or otherwise under an obligation to assign said invention to The Procter & Gamble Company or one of its Affiliates (including, Procter & Gamble Asia Pacific Ltd.; Procter & Gamble Australia Pty. Ltd.; Procter & Gamble Technology (Beijing) Co., Ltd.; Procter & Gamble Far East, Inc.; Procter & Gamble Hong Kong Ltd.; Procter & Gamble India, Ltd.; Procter & Gamble Indonesia; Procter & Gamble Korea, Inc.; Procter & Gamble Malaysia Sdn. Bhd.; Procter & Gamble Philippines, Inc.; Procter & Gamble Taiwan Ltd; Procter & Gamble Manufacturing (Thailand) Ltd.; Procter & Gamble (Guangzhou) Ltd.; P&G Northeast Asia Pte Ltd; Max Factor K.K.; P&G K.K.; Procter & Gamble Asia Pte. Limited; Procter & Gamble de Mexico; Procter & Gamble de Venezuela and P&G-Clairol, Inc.) and acknowledge my/our obligation at the time the invention was made to assign said invention to The Procter & Gamble Company or the Affiliate, respectively. Pursuant to said obligation and (in the case of employment by or obligation to the Affiliate) at the request of the Affiliate, I/we assign to The Procter & Gamble Company, its legal representatives, successors and assigns, the entire right, title and interest (including the right to claim priority of the filing date of said patent application under international conventions) in said invention as set forth in said patent application, and in all patents of the United States and of any other country which may be issued for said invention, as fully and completely as the same would have been held by me/us had this assignment not been made. The entire right, title and interest shall vest irrevocably in The Procter & Gamble Company. I/We further agree upon request, without additional compensation but at no expense to me/us, to execute or assent to applications, and to execute all other legal documents as may be necessary or desirable to vest the enjoyment of the rights assigned to The Procter & Gamble Company, its legal representatives, successors and assigns, or as said Company may direct.

I/We request the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to issue any Letters Patent of the United States which may be issued for said invention herein assigned and as set forth in U. S. Application Serial Number 10/606,137 to The Procter & Gamble Company, its legal representatives, successors or assigns, as the sole owner of the entire right, title, and interest in said patent and the invention and the invention covered thereby.

The ASSIGNMENT of said invention is effective as of the earlier of 1) the date of execution shown below or 2) the filing date of the first-filed of said patent application(s).

  
David Vincent Zyzak

July 24, 2003  
Date

State of Ohio )  
County of Hamilton ) SS

On this 24 day of July, 2003, before me personally appeared David Vincent Zyzak, to me known to be the person named in and who executed the above instrument, and acknowledged to me that he executed the same for the uses and purposes therein set forth.



SHERRYBETH SLOVACEK  
Notary Public, State of Ohio  
My Commission Expires  
8/5/2006

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Robert Alan Sanders  
Robert Alan Sanders

7/31/03  
Date

State of Ohio }  
County of Hamilton } SS

On this 31 day of July, 2003, before me personally appeared Robert Alan Sanders, to me known to be the person named in and who executed the above instrument, and acknowledged to me that he executed the same for the uses and purposes therein set forth.



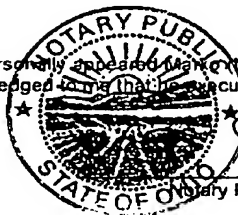
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Notary Public, State of Ohio  
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September 6, 2006  
SB Slovacsek  
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Marko (NMN) Stojanovic  
Marko (NMN) Stojanovic

July 28/03  
Date

State of Ohio }  
County of Hamilton } SS

On this 28 day of July, 2003, before me personally appeared Marko (NMN) Stojanovic, to me known to be the person named in and who executed the above instrument, and acknowledged to me that he executed the same for the uses and purposes therein set forth.



SHERYBETH SLOVACEK  
Notary Public, State of Ohio  
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September 6, 2006  
SB Slovacsek  
Notary Public/Witness

David Cammiade Gruber  
David Cammiade Gruber

State of Ohio }  
County of Hamilton } SS

On this 30 day of July, 2003, before me personally appeared David Cammiade Gruber, to me known to be the person named in and who executed the above instrument, and acknowledged to me that he executed the same for the uses and purposes therein set forth.



SHERYBETH SLOVACEK  
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September 6, 2006  
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Peter Yau Tak Lin  
Peter Yau Tak Lin

7/24/03  
Date

State of Ohio }  
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On this 24 day of July, 2003, before me personally appeared Peter Yau Tak Lin, to me known to be the person named in and who executed the above instrument, and acknowledged to me that he executed the same for the uses and purposes therein set forth.



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Maria D. Martinez-Serna Villagran  
Maria Dolores Martinez-Serna Villagran

10/6/03  
Date

State of Ohio }  
County of Hamilton } SS

On this 6 day of October, 2003, before me personally appeared Maria Dolores Martinez-Serna Villagran, to me known to be the person named in and who executed the above instrument, and acknowledged to me that he executed the same for the uses and purposes therein set forth.



SHERRYBETH SLOVACEK  
Notary Public, State of Ohio  
My Commission Expires  
September 8, 2006

John Keeney Howie  
John Keeney Howie

8/1/03  
Date

State of Ohio }  
County of Hamilton } SS

On this 1 day of August, 2003, before me personally appeared John Keeney Howie, to me known to be the person named in and who executed the above instrument, and acknowledged to me that he executed the same for the uses and purposes therein set forth.



SHERRYBETH SLOVACEK  
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My Commission Expires  
September 8, 2006  
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Richard Gerald Schafermeyer  
Richard Gerald Schafermeyer

7/29/03  
Date

State of Ohio }  
County of Hamilton } SS

On this 29 day of July, 2003, before me personally appeared Richard Gerald Schafermeyer, to me known to be the person named in and who executed the above instrument, and acknowledged to me that he executed the same for the uses and purposes therein set forth.



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